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REMARKS

In accordance with the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed May 27, 2005, Applicant resubmits the entire "Amendments to the Claims" section of the Amendment filed on December 9, 2004 with the proper, sequential numbering of the claims.

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CONCLUSION

Applicant believes this application is in condition for allowance. Such action is respectfully requested. Applicant requests the Examiner to contact the undersigned if the Examiner has any questions concerning this Reply.

Applicant further authorizes the Commissioner to charge any deficiencies in any required fees to Deposit Account No. 23-0280.

Respectfully submitted,

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